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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
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For: TREATMENT OF TUMORS WITH
GENETICALLY ENGINEERED HERPES
VIRUS

Examiner: J. E. Angell

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated May 12, 2009 (the "Office Action") rejecting claims 1-5, 10-12 and 16-23 and objecting to claim 13, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.